

Senate Amendment 3133

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1 1 Amend House File 423, as passed by the House, as
1 2 follows:
1 3 #1. Page 1, by inserting after line 33 the
1 4 following:
1 5 <Sec. _____. Section 279.10, subsection 1, Code
1 6 2005, is amended to read as follows:
1 7 1. ~~The Except as provided in section 282.18,~~
1 8 ~~subsection 18, the~~ school year shall begin on the
1 9 first day of July and each regularly established
1 10 elementary and secondary school shall begin no sooner
1 11 than a day during the calendar week in which the first
1 12 day of September falls but no later than the first
1 13 Monday in December. However, if the first day of
1 14 September falls on a Sunday, school may begin on a day
1 15 during the calendar week which immediately precedes
1 16 the first day of September. School shall continue for
1 17 at least one hundred eighty days, except as provided
1 18 in subsection 3, and may be maintained during the
1 19 entire calendar year. However, if the board of
1 20 directors of a district extends the school calendar
1 21 because inclement weather caused the district to
1 22 temporarily close school during the regular school
1 23 calendar, the district may excuse a graduating senior
1 24 who has met district or school requirements for
1 25 graduation from attendance during the extended school
1 26 calendar. A school corporation may begin employment
1 27 of personnel for in-service training and development
1 28 purposes before the date to begin elementary and
1 29 secondary school.>
1 30 #2. Page 3, by inserting after line 2 the
1 31 following:
1 32 <Sec. _____. Section 282.18, Code 2005, is amended
1 33 by adding the following new subsection:
1 34 NEW SUBSECTION. 18. It is the intent of the
1 35 general assembly to provide students participating in
1 36 open enrollment under subsection 13 with the
1 37 opportunity to fully participate in interscholastic
1 38 athletic competitions if the students are eligible to
1 39 participate under subsection 13. In order to provide
1 40 eligible students with this opportunity, the school
1 41 start date for a school district that is a sending or
1 42 receiving district as provided in this section shall
1 43 begin on the first day of July and each regularly
1 44 established elementary and secondary school in the
1 45 district shall begin no sooner than August 22, but no
1 46 later than the first Monday in December. The
1 47 provisions of section 279.10, subsection 4, shall not
1 48 apply to a school district subject to the start date
1 49 set forth in this subsection.>
2 1 #3. Title page, line 2, by inserting after the
2 2 word <levels> the following: <and changing the school
2 3 start date for school districts whose students are
2 4 participating in interscholastic sports and open
2 5 enrollment>.
2 6 #4. By renumbering as necessary.
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